

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates.

The regulated media needs to be kept as diverse as plausible to preclude the possibility that "information warfare" can be waged by nation-states, our own government, corporations or nefarious (sp?) individuals. Competition is the basis of a true "free market" economy, media included. Please ensure competition by keeping ownership diverse with low percentages of co-oped ownership of media outlets.